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SUBJ: TRADE INQUIRY: ROMANIAN INTEREST IN RECONDITIONED  
EQUIPMENT FOR RESEARCH IN MOLECULAR BIOLOGY

1. PROFESSOR COSTACHEL, DIRECTOR OF INSTITUTE OF ONCOLOGY,  
HAS INQUIRED NAMES OF ANY U.S. SUPPLIERS OF RECONDITIONED  
EQUIPMENT AND INSTRUMENTATION IN MOLECULAR BIOLOGY FIELD.  
INSTRUMENTATION SOUGHT IN CONNECTION WITH INSTITUTE'S  
RESEARCH IN CANCER IMMUNOLOGY.

2. REQUEST COMMERCE CONTACT NATIONAL CANCER INSTITUTE  
IN BETHESDA TO ASCERTAIN ANY SOURCES OF THIS EQUIPMENT.  
BELIEVE NCI WILL SEEK TO BE HELPFUL, SINCE PROF. COSTACHEL  
WELL AND FAVORABLY KNOWN TO NCI IMMUNOLOGISTS.

3. POSSIBLE ADDITIONAL SOURCE OF INFO WOULD BE SLOAN KETTERING  
INSTITUTE WHERE PROF. COSTACHEL FIRST LEARNED OF AVAILABILITY  
OF RECONDITIONED EQUIPMENT.

4. IF, IN FACT, THERE ARE NUMBER OF SUPPLIERS, WE WILL SEEK  
TO HAVE PROF. COSTACHEL DEFINE ROMANIAN REQUIREMENTS PRECISELY  
FOR SUBMISSION AS TOS.  
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